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Bijou Theater Sold.

Arthur Eswain has purchased the Bijou Theater on the west side from A. M. Cooper, and he will hereafter run the place himself. Mr. Eswain will make an effort to give the public a first class show at all times.

Fisherman Attention.

Game Warden Will Cole of Vesper wishes to announce that the season for all game fish in the Wisconsin river opens on June 1st.

Work was commenced on the new home of C. E. Boles on Witter street on Tuesday, A. F. Bjilmyre having the work in charge. The new residence of Sam Church will also be started this week and the construction will be in charge of Nason & Hansen.

A Good Example to Follow.

Now that the St. Paul company has started work on their new depot, it might be a good idea for the committee who has the matter in charge to tip a hint to the Soo line officials to get busy along the same line.

In the good old days when the Marshfield and Southeastern Co. was the owner of the line between here and Marshfield and their entire outfit of rolling stock consisted of a wind broken locomotive, one flat car and a condemned cattle car that had been remodeled by placing some wooden benches along the side, and thus made to serve as a passenger coach, the present depot was in keeping with the remainder of the outfit, and probably all that could be expected.

But now, when the line is a part of one of the greatest systems in the world, it begins to look a trifle out of date. Of course it has been given a coat of paint since the transfer was made, and this was quite an improvement, but still it falls somewhat short of the ideal, and modern up to date depot.

To begin with it has only one waiting room with a seating capacity of about nine people, and when about fifty persons, consisting of a congregation of Indians, drunks, women and children, get crowded in there, with the air blue with tobacco smoke and profanity, and murky with the odor of German socks and cheap whiskey, it is anything but pleasant for a person who has not a well developed, but still it falls somewhat short of the ideal, and modern up to date depot.

There is no doubt but what there are worse depots in the world than the one owned by the Soo company in this city, but we do not know where they are located, nor do we remember of ever having been in one of them. We have waited for trains in places where there was no depot at all, but then we did not expect very much, and were not disappointed.

The Soo line has the reputation of not paying much attention to its passenger traffic, and it appears to be living up to its reputation in this style, in this particular instance.

It may be that the officials of the road have never noticed the condition of the depot here, and that if it were called to their attention they would immediately get busy and put up a nice modern station with the conveniences such a place is supposed to possess.

It wouldn't cost much to speak to them about it, anyway.

Miss Anna Daly was in Minneapolis on Tuesday where she acted as bridesmaid at the wedding of her cousin, Ed. Daly, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tim Daly to Miss Everett of Minneapolis.

COMMENCEMENT DAYS ARE NEAR.

The largest class that has ever been graduated from the high school in this city will receive their diplomas next week, when a class of 34 will finish their studies at the local school.

The class day exercises will be given next Monday evening at the Lincoln high school. The following program has been prepared for the occasion:

Music.....High School Orchestra
The Class of 1912 Marie Kathryn Looze
Boating Song.....Girls Glee Club
Description of Apparatus.....
Water F. Mueller
Reflection.....John Alexander,
Jos. Nash
Refraction and Dispersion.....
Edward Cahill and Cyril Timlin
A Southern Lullaby.....Girls Glee Club
Play—The Trouble at Satterlee's.

CAST OF CHARACTERS
Miss Ohphelia Satterlee, the lady principal.....Florence Mae Love
Kathleen, a Celtic maid.....
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Students who belong to Miss Satterlee's select seminary for young ladies.....
Dorothy.....Myrtle Marie Ule
Alice.....Faye E. Warner
Mildred.....Jessie S. Wolf
Bertha.....Lenore E. Johnson
Marion.....Marion Elizabeth Jackson
Elsie.....Gertrude R. Nintz
Edna.....Martha B. M. Kraske

On Wednesday evening will occur the class play. This will be given at the opera house and the title is, "What Happened to Jones." The cast of characters is as follows:
Jones.....Herbert Roach
Ebenzer Goodly.....
Edmund Phillip Arpin, Jr.
Anthony Goodly D. D. Eric O. Karberg
Richard Heatherly John Wm. Buckley
Thomas Holder.....Gla Russell Fuller
William Elghe.....

Henry Faller.....James Webb Gaynor
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In Favor of Paving.

During an interview with Mayor Cohen on Saturday that gentleman stated that it was his intention, if he could get the council to think the same as he does, to start the paving on the main streets of the city as soon as possible.

Mr. Cohen realizes that our business streets are in a deplorable condition, and that something should be done the present season to put them in presentable condition.

He stated that some of the aldermen were in favor of putting off the paving for another year, on the ground that there would be an application for a gas plant franchise, and that if such a franchise were granted it would be best to put down the pipes before the paving was done, and thus do away with the necessity of tearing it up again.

This gas plant proposition has been in the wind for several years, and up to date there has been nothing materialized but gas, and while it would be a nice thing to have all the underground work done before the paving was laid, still it may not be possible to do so.

Why not put it up to the people that want to put in a gas plant and tell them that if they want to establish such a proposition, that they have to put in their pipes at once, and thus leave it all over with.

We are in favor of a gas plant, and a good thing for the town, but think it hardly advisable to hold on to other things until the pipe is built for it might never be built.

By the time our citizens make up their mind to build a gas plant that the paving that is put down this year would be worn out, and then it would be removed and the pipes put down at the same time.

Methodism and Memorial Day.
The General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, now in session at Minneapolis, passed the following resolutions:

"Whereas, Memorial Day was instituted as a day wherein the nation should pause and remember her sons who gave their lives in defense of her honor and her life, and

Whereas, the veterans still surviving of our army of volunteers deserve the gratitude of the republic for their unsurpassed record of valor and their legacy of a flag not bereft of a single star, and

Whereas, these, our noble heroes and defenders, are now passing away at the rate of one for every eight minutes and will soon be all numbered among the dead

Therefore, be it Resolved, that the Methodist church in General Conference assembled, hereby again record its appreciation of the day and of its imperishable meaning. We call upon the nation to universally observe Memorial Day and to refrain from such sports as at least divert attention from the lofty purpose of the day.

Resolved, that we appreciate the chivalrous attitude of the Grand Army of the Republic towards those who wore the gray. We rejoice that the aspirations of the past have disappeared, and that above all sections arises the glory of the republic, one and indivisible."

Acting in harmony with the above action of the church, and in keeping with his custom, the pastor of the local Methodist Episcopal church will observe the coming Memorial Day, with appropriate services next Sunday evening. To this service all members of the Grand Army of the Republic, members of the Women's Relief Corps, and the public are most cordially invited. The theme of the address will be "The Veteran's Retrospection." The hour is seven-thirty o'clock.

The Crusades.
In the Tribune of May the 8th appeared an article on the Crusades in which the writer makes the following statement: "The criminal when he assumed the badge of Crusader, was by that act, instantly absolved from his sins of whatever nature."

This statement is as superstitious as it is false. Superstitions are attributes power to an act which it has not. Absolutely false because it has always been the teaching of the Catholic church, that no mortal sin, small or grave, can be forgiven without being repented of and a firm resolution made to avoid it in the future. The Sacrament of Penance is the means established by our Lord for the forgiveness of sin and no grave sin can be forgiven when this Sacrament is willfully rejected. And one of the requisites on the part of the penitent for the valid reception of the Sacrament of Penance is contrition, a hearty sorrow for sin committed, with a firm resolution of sinning no more.

Wm. Reding.
Evidently in Earnest.
Those of our citizens who thought that the promise of the St. Paul railway company to erect the new depot this spring was just one of their annual bluffs, were evidently mistaken. The old depot has been moved down the track for some distance, so that the site for the new building is entirely without obstruction and a gang of laborers are busy on the preliminaries of the new structure.

So far as known nobody will serve an injunction on the company to prevent the new depot from going up.

Installing Saloon Fixtures.
The Kandy Mfg. Co. commenced moving the fixtures into the new sample room of George Frechette the fore part of the week and they expect to have the entire outfit installed by the last of the month. It is evident that Mr. Frechette is going to have one of the nicest outfits in this section after it is all in place.

Otto Roenius left last night for Chicago to be gone several days on business.

BIG LOSS BY FIRE AT SOUTH SIDE MILL.

The Centralia Pulp & Water Power Company sustained a loss that is estimated at \$80,000, in the burning of the building containing the paper machines, heater engines and the finishing room at their mill at the south side early Monday morning.

The fire was discovered in the roof of the mill about 2 o'clock Monday morning, by the night watchman, and he immediately gave the alarm. The fire apparatus belonging to the mill was in good working order, but by the time a line of hose had been laid the fire had run along the roof and gained such headway that it was impossible to do anything.

The two departments in the city responded to the call, and as there is no network down there, the steamer was pressed into service and put to work on the job.

While nothing could be done toward saving the machine room, the pulp mill, the corner of which had caught fire, was extinguished and kept from burning.

The firemen worked valiantly and continued to throw water onto the blaze until 6 o'clock in the morning, when it was apparent that there was no danger of the fire being communicated to surrounding property, and they were allowed to go home, although the department at the mill continued at work.

Besides the property belonging to the company that was burned there were also three freight cars loaded with pulp and paper, that were consumed. It is possible that these could have been saved had there been a locomotive available on short notice, but one had to be steamed up in the St. Paul yards, and this took some time.

The paper mill was the oldest one in this locality, and the loss is considerably more now than it would have been had it burned a few months ago, as the mill was being rebuilt, and the brick walls were being completed, and the roof would have been started within a few days. This new work was practically ruined by the fire and if it is decided to rebuild the plant, will all have to be replaced.

It is not known how the fire originated, but it is supposed to have started from crossed electric wires. The loss is estimated at \$80,000, covered by insurance to the extent of about 80 per cent.

During an interview with Miss Cilla Nason on Tuesday that lady stated that nothing had been said as yet about the matter of rebuilding the plant, and that no information could be given out at the present time on this subject. As there is a water power there, however, it is entirely probable that some provision will be made for utilizing the power, although what form it will take cannot be told at the present time.

Memorial Day Program.
Thursday, May 30th, 1912, is Memorial Day. The services this year, under direction of the G. A. R. Post, will be at the cemetery in the forenoon, and there will be an afternoon service.

PROGRAM.
9:30 o'clock a. m. The City Band, all honorably discharged Soldiers and Sailors of the Civil War, whether Union or Confederate and the Ladies of the Woman's Relief Corps, will assemble at G. A. R. Hall, form procession and under direction of Commander and march along Oak, First street north, and Baker street to Court House Park. Autos will be chero assembled in line on each side of the street, under direction of Mr. E. P. Arpin, Honorary Member of the Post, to convey them to the cemetery.

After passing the entrance to Forest Hill cemetery autos will halt. Marching procession will then form as follows:
City Band.
Veterans of the Civil War.
Woman's Relief Corps.

Entering the south gate of the Catholic cemetery, march by main driveway through to the grave of our late deceased Comrade, John Murgatroy, where the services will be held as follows:
Part 1st of Ritual Service, pages 15 and 16.
Music by Band.
Address, Hon. Theo. W. Brazenau.
Conclusion of Ritual Service.
Music by Band.
Salute the Flag.
Benediction.

Re-form procession, and march out through Main Entrance of Forest Hill Cemetery where autos will be in waiting. J. W. Cochran, Com'dr.

Federation Meeting.
At the next meeting of the Federation, which occurs at the Congregational church this Wednesday evening, the gentlemen are especially invited to be present, as the topic is one that should be of especial interest to them. Following is the program that has been prepared for the occasion:
Reception.....North Side Division
Topic—Civic Improvement
Music, Pipe Organ Mrs. F. J. Natwick
Report.....Civic Committee
Mrs. W. J. Conway
General Remarks on Public Health
Vocal Selection.....Mrs. Redford
Improvement of City Streets.....
Mr. John Leke, Madison
Discussion
Violin Solo.....Mr. Von Gelch
Refreshments
Adjournment

Firemen Will Celebrate.
Mayor Cohen has turned the Fourth of July celebration over to the firemen, who expect to take hold of the matter and get up something that will be a fitting observance of the day. More particulars will be given later.

Fable of the Printer Man Who Yearned for Riches.

Once upon a Time there was a Country editor who became dissatisfied with his lot.

He had been running a Weekly paper for a number of Years and not only got three meals every day but was able to buy a New seven dollar suit of clothes every year or two, but still he was not satisfied. He wanted to be Rich.

After pondering over the matter for some time he came to the conclusion that the best and quickest way of getting up the money was to go into the chicken business.

He had worn several lead pencils out fluting on the proposition, and as figures never lie, it was an immortal cliché.

For instance: You start in with one thousand hens at 25 cents apiece, an investment of \$250, not more than half as much as a first class printing office costs.

Each hen lays 200 eggs a year, and at an average price of 2 cents apiece will come to \$4 a year for each hen. If it costs \$2 to feed each hen for a year, there is a profit left of \$2.00 on the hen. By doubling the Number of hens you double your income.

It was so simple that he was careful not to tell anybody about it for fear he alone would start in the same business and spoil the graft. The only wonder was that somebody else had not found out about it long before.

The next spring found him established in the chicken business, with a large and varied assortment of chickens, he having decided to start in with just common. Everyday he, and later on to go in for the fancy breeds a bit.

The hens didn't lay quite as abundantly as he had expected them to, but their appetites seemed to be first rate and he knew that as soon as they got used to their new quarters they would do better.

But instead of improving they seemed to get worse, and most of them went on a strike and stopped altogether. Then eggs took a big drop and they all commenced to lay again, but whenever eggs went up a few cents there was a falling off in the production until he began to think they were getting Quotations by telegraph.

At the end of the first summer the flock had produced almost enough eggs to pay for their feed, and he realized that when eggs went up in winter he would reap a rich harvest.

As cold weather dropped on, however, the chickens seemed to forget all about the egg business, but they consumed about the usual amount of feed, and feed was much higher in price, which was a little matter that he had left out of his calculations, before he went into the business. Then once more a strike broke out and a chicken or two died when he went out to feed them in the morning.

When he figured things out at the end of the first year he found that his eggs had cost him about four cents apiece, and that he had paid for his living out of his savings, and he was all ready to quit as soon as he could find an enthusiastic to take the proposition off his hands.

When next season he was back at the newspaper business writing advice to farmers.

Moral—You should never count your eggs before they are laid.

Local Firm Gets Contract.
Stash & Natzek, our local firm of electricians, have secured the contract for erecting a transmission line between the Consolidated mill in this city and the paper mill at Bron, which will be used to convey power to the plant up river.

The line will be erected on steel poles and the current will be conveyed at 4000 volts, and provisions will be made for about 300 horsepower. The installation will include a 200 K. W. motor-generator and motors at the Bron end of the line.

The change is made because there is generally a surplus power at this end of the line, while at Bron they are generally short, and the result will be that after this line is installed the surplus power can be utilized at Bron.

The local firm got this contract in competition with several outside concerns, and as it means something like a ten thousand dollar job, they are to be congratulated on their enterprise.

Death of Mrs. Mary Kronholm.
Mrs. Mary Kronholm, who lived with her son in the town of Sigel, died on Tuesday of old age. Deceased was a native of Finland, but had made her home in this country for a number of years.

The funeral will occur tomorrow afternoon, the services to be conducted by the Rev. Nordlund.

Much Pleasure.
Merrill H. O. L. d.—The Merrill ladies, who attended the seventh annual convention of the Tenth District Wisconsin Federation of Women's Clubs, at Grand Rapids, last week, express much pleasure concerning the convention and are enthusiastic over the hospitality of the Grand Rapids ladies, who furnished excellent entertainment for all the visiting delegates.

Mary Jones Second.
At the district delegatory contest held at Wausau on Friday evening, Miss Mary Jones of this city got second place, first honors being carried off by Miss Margaret Marvin of Minocqua. Miss Jones' selection was Bobbie Shafroff, her markings being 91%.

Band Concert.
The regular weekly band concert will be given Thursday evening on the west side should the weather permit.

LOOK LOOK LOOK

Friday and Saturday

...A Few of Our Week End Specials...

We guarantee all articles sold to be strictly fresh.

Canned Apples only.....	9c	Cane Sugar 17 lbs. 95 cts.	Large fat Prunes per lb.....	8c
Canned Corn only.....	9c		Olives per bottle only.....	9c
Canned Peaches only.....	9c		Mixed Pickles per bottle only.....	9c
Canned Plums only.....	9c		Sweet Gherkins per bottle only.....	9c
Canned Peas only.....	9c		Horseradish per bottle only.....	9c
Canned Pork and Beans only.....	9c		Mustard per glass only.....	9c
Canned Kidney Beans only.....	9c		Ammonia, large bottle only.....	9c
Pure Fruit Jams, assorted flavors, quart.....	25c		Bluing, large bottle only.....	9c
Fresh Walnut Meats per lb.....	38c			

Remember the Days, Friday and Saturday ONLY
Order your fresh vegetables from us. Always a complete line at lowest prices. Telephone us your orders.

Nash Grocery Company

West Side, GRAND RAPIDS, WIS. Telephone 550

JOHNSON & HILL CO.

GRAND RAPIDS, WISCONSIN.

Drug Dept.

During this sale only, a 25c Chamomile skin and your choice of any make of 25c Talcum, complete 50c, sale price.....
A 25c Tooth Brush and any 25c tooth paste, powder or liquid, complete 50c, sale price.....
All 50c perfumes, a very complete stock, per ounce.....

Clothing Dept.

Men's work Socks, 5 pair for.....
Men's work Shirts, our best 50c grade for.....
Boys' 50c knickerbocker Pants for.....
Men's very heavy grade Overalls for.....
Men's 50c silk Neckwear, all new stylish patterns, sale.....
Three pairs of men's plain black or colored dress Socks.....
Men's work Gloves, all leather extra good quality at.....
Three pairs of men's gauntlet canvas Gloves.....
Men's dress Shirts, 60c values at.....
Two pairs men's dress Socks, regular 25c values, for.....

Hardware Dept.

White enamelware assortment, per piece.....
Any 50c pocket knife in stock.....
4 Heddon's Dowagiac minnows.....
25c ball and 25c mitt, both.....
Three 15c Perfection bread tins.....
Half dozen extra heavy molacca plate table spoons.....
One dozen extra heavy molacca plate tea spoons.....
Any 45c assortment of kitchen necessities.....
Assortment of 1 gal., 2 qt., 1 qt. and 1 pt. measures, 4 for.....
Granite top dinner pails, extra special.....
Four 10 qt. galvanized pails, snap.....
Three 12 qt. galvanized pails only.....
Lawn mowers, extra, 7 times.....

Another Sweet One

7 1/2 lbs. granulated

Cane Sugar

39c

39c Sale!

Beginning Thursday, May 23, and Ending Friday, May 31.

Grocery Dept.

Galvanic Soap, 10 bars for only.....
Five packages Post Toasties for.....
Three cans No. 1 Salmon for.....
3 lbs. Oatmeal.....
2 lbs. Rice, fancy Jap.....
2 lbs. Prunes.....
2 dozen Clothes Pins.....

ALL FOR 39c

Johnson & Hill Co.

Grand Rapids, Wis.

Dry Goods Dept.

8 yds. fancy figured Lawns all new patterns.....
8 yds. of double fold Percale for.....
6 yds. of bleached shrunk linen Toweling.....
5 pairs of children's Elastics, black or white.....
5 yds. of plain or Morin Ribbon 2 to 3 inch wide.....
5 rolls of good grade Cotton Batts.....
9 yds. of pretty new Challies for.....
5 yds. of handsome dress Ging-ham for.....
9 yds. of the best American print Calicoes, light or dark patterns.....
8 yards of double Percale for.....
3 yards of plain or fancy colored Lawn.....
3 yards of turkey red Table Damask.....
2 yards of French Dress Ging-hams for.....
50c grade all linen damask or huck Towels.....

Muslin Underwear Dept.

Women's muslin Gown, lace trimmed, good grade muslin, for.....
An assortment of Women's Drawers, lace and embroidery trimmed, all regular 50c and 65c grades at only.....
Children's muslin Petticoats, 10 rows of fine tucks, 2 for.....
Women's Corset Covers, worth 25c and 29c, lace and embroidery trimmed, 2 for.....
3 lace trimmed Corset Covers for only.....

Council Proceedings.

Council Chamber, May 7th, 1912.
Council met in regular session, Mayor Cohen presiding.

Aldermen present, Andrew, Ketchum, Hillmeyer, McCarthy, Davis, Ellis, Gottlieb, Nash, Lukasek, Yessikow, Pribbanow, Whitlock, Danion, Payne and Jeffrey.

On motion the reading of the minutes of the last meeting of the council was dispensed with.

The sidewalk committee reported on the petition of E. H. Smart and four others for a sidewalk reconstruction of the street between the 11th and 12th streets, and the work be done. On motion the report was accepted and work ordered done.

The sidewalk committee reported on the petition of Frank Sclowski and fifteen others recommending that the sidewalk be widened on the 11th and 12th streets, and the work be done. On motion the report was accepted.

Admiral Payne reported that the committee on General business had purchased 18 trees and had them placed in the library park. On motion the report was accepted.

There was presented a petition signed by H. P. Gault and eight others praying your honorable body to establish the grade and put in a sidewalk on the south side of the street between the 11th and 12th streets, and the work be done. On motion the report was accepted.

There was presented a petition signed by F. A. Stahl and 20 others praying your honorable body to lay and construct a standard sidewalk on the north side of the street between the 11th and 12th streets, and the work be done. On motion the report was accepted.

There was presented a petition signed by J. H. Eborhardt and eight others praying your honorable body to lay and construct a standard sidewalk on the south side of the street between the 11th and 12th streets, and the work be done. On motion the report was accepted.

There was presented a petition signed by P. H. Eborhardt and eight others praying your honorable body to lay and construct a standard sidewalk on the north side of the street between the 11th and 12th streets, and the work be done. On motion the report was accepted.

There was presented a petition signed by Sam Church praying your honorable body to lay a water pipe on Witter street a distance of 75 feet. On motion the petition was referred to the water works committee.

There was presented a petition signed by P. H. Eborhardt and eight others praying your honorable body to lay and construct a standard sidewalk on the north side of the street between the 11th and 12th streets, and the work be done. On motion the report was accepted.

There was presented a petition signed by H. O. Denitz praying your honorable body to have the proper grade established on 3rd street south. On motion the petition was referred to the City Engineer.

There was presented a petition signed by Mrs. R. Deuro, praying your honorable body, to cause to be laid and constructed a water main from 8th avenue south to an easterly direction on Goggin street opposite her property. On motion the petition was referred to the water works committee.

There was presented a petition signed by C. Lyon and three others praying your honorable body to lay and construct a water main from the 11th and 12th streets, and the work be done. On motion the report was accepted.

There was presented a petition signed by your honorable body to increase the appropriation of band director Merrill from \$75.00 to \$100.00 per month and continue for another year. Moved and seconded that the petition be denied. Motion carried.

Moved and seconded that Band Master Merrill be hired for a term of one year at \$75.00 per month. Motion carried by a vote of 13 for and 3 against, the clerk calling the roll.

There was presented a petition signed by L. M. Nash and 31 others praying your honorable body to appoint F. H. Jackson, alderman of the 7th ward to fill vacancy caused by the resignation of alderman Andrew Mosher of said ward.

Mayor Cohen appointed F. H. Jackson as alderman in the 7th ward to succeed alderman Andrew Mosher resigned. Moved and seconded that the confirmation of the appointment of F. H. Jackson as alderman be denied. Motion carried and confirmation denied.

sent from Wood County Post No. 22 G. A. R. requesting an appropriation of \$75.00 for the payment of expenses incident to the observance of Memorial Day, May 30th to be expended under the direction of the G. A. R. Moved and seconded that an appropriation of \$75.00 be made to Wood County Post No. 22 G. A. R. by unanimous vote, the clerk calling the roll.

Moved and seconded that C. E. Bole be instructed by the clerk to renew his insurance policy covering the library building in the sum of \$500.00. Motion carried.

There was presented a petition signed by Nick Tomczyk and four others praying your honorable body to lay and construct a standard sidewalk commencing at Fritzinger's corner on 4th avenue south, run thence west 1 block adjacent to block 2 McComb's Addition, the same being the north side of said 4th avenue thence north along Giddings street and on the east side thereof to Nick Tomczyk's corner on Grand avenue. On motion the petition was referred to the street committee.

On motion the claim of J. M. Exner for an illegal assessment was referred to City Attorney Hambrecht with instructions to report at the next regular meeting of the council.

Mr. A. McFarland appeared before the council and presented his views on what he considered an extremely unjust valuation on some of his property. On motion on general business, City Attorney and City Engineer with instructions to report at the next regular meeting of the council.

The following bid was received from A. L. Fontaine, editor of the Wood County Reporter, for the city printing for the ensuing year, and on motion accepted, and the Wood County Reporter was declared to be the official paper for the ensuing year.

Grand Rapids, Wis., April 20, 1912. Mr. M. G. Gordon, City Clerk. Dear Sir:—In response to your call for bids for the city printing would say, that we would be pleased to publish the proceedings of the Grand Rapids Council and ordinances at the rate of sixty (60) cents per folio. This sum of sixty (60) cents to cover the cost of having the proceedings and ordinances published also in the other two publications of the city.

Respectfully submitted, A. L. FONTAINE, Cashier.

The following bid was received from the First National Bank for the city depository for the ensuing year, and on motion accepted, and the First National Bank declared to be the city depository for the ensuing year.

Grand Rapids, Wis., Apr. 30, 1912. To Mayor and City Council, Grand Rapids, Wisconsin. Gentlemen:—Should your Honorable Body decide to designate this bank as City Depository we will pay the city 2 per cent interest on daily balances, interest to be computed and credited to the city at the end of each month.

Respectfully submitted, Wm. Pribbanow, Cashier.

There was presented ordinance No. 100 being an ordinance to amend that part of ordinance No. 92 pertaining to the tariff on water rates of the Grand Rapids Waterworks, and to revise said tariff of water rate, and on motion adopted, by 14 for and one against, the clerk calling the roll. (The same may be seen in legal form.)

There was presented ordinance No. 101 being an ordinance to establish a board of park commissioners in and for the city of Grand Rapids, Wood County, Wisconsin, and on motion adopted by unanimous vote, the clerk calling the roll. (The same may be seen in legal form.)

The following resolution was presented and on motion adopted by unanimous vote, the clerk calling the roll.

WHEREAS, The streets of Grand Rapids are in serious need of permanent repair, and

WHEREAS, Our newly elected Mayor has recommended that the City purchase a stone crusher, and steam roller to be used in grading, repaving and putting our streets in good condition for travel, now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Mayor appoint a committee of three citizens to look up the question of purchasing a stone crusher and steam roller, or gasoline roller, and that they report to the Council at its next meeting, the terms on which such stone crusher and roller can be purchased.

Wm. Pribbanow, Mayor appointed aldermen Davis, Pribbanow and Lukasek as such committee.

The following resolution was presented and on motion adopted by unanimous vote the clerk calling the roll.

WHEREAS, It has been brought to the attention of the Council that the funds from the City Water Works Department and the General Funds of the City are intermixed, and

Blain-Higley. Miss Irene Higley of Douglas, Wyoming and George Blain of Crawford, Neb., were married in the chapel at Douglas on the first of May at 8:30 o'clock. Immediately after the ceremony the bridal party and a few guests partook of a beautiful breakfast at the home of the bride's parents, after which they left on the morning train for Crawford, where they will make their future home.

The bride is a convent graduate and a highly esteemed young lady. The groom was once a resident of Rudolph, now an operator at Crawford, Neb.

Death of Wm. Kath. William Kath of the town of Rudolph died on Saturday after an illness of five days, cause of death being bowel trouble.

Deceased was a native of Germany and was 44 years, 7 months and 14 days of age and leaves a wife and family of children to mourn his death. The funeral was held on Tuesday afternoon, Rev. Wm. Nommensen of the west side Lutheran church conducting the services, the remains being interred in the Lutheran cemetery in the town of Rudolph.

Child Fractures Skull. Donald Rice, a five year old boy from Neoclad, was brought to this city on Tuesday suffering from a fracture of the skull. The little fellow had been playing on one of the abutments of the bridge and fell to the cement walk below, fracturing his skull in bad shape. An operation was performed and the child is still alive this Wednesday morning, although it is impossible to forestall the outcome at this time.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL

The Elks will give a social dance at their hall on Friday evening.

W. H. Remington of Balcock was a business visitor in the city on Tuesday.

Julius Friday of Vesper was a pleasant caller at the Tribune office on Tuesday while in the city on business.

Miss Grace Conway returned to her home in Orient, S. D., on Tuesday after a visit of several weeks at the home of Mrs. P. Conway.

Messieurs Louis Reichel, W. G. Merrill and Geo. W. Davis were in Neoclad on Saturday to attend a reception at the J. Gross home.

Miss Stella Kinsler, who has been located at Appleton for some time past, returned home on Monday and has accepted a position as operator in the local telephone office.

Portage Democrat.—Prof. M. H. Jackson of Grand Rapids, one of the leading educators of the state who formerly was located at Columbus, called on friends in Portage last night. He was on his way from Madison where he attended a meeting of a committee of teachers to discuss betterment of rural schools.

The new stone crusher for the county arrived the fore part of the week and has been unloaded near the St. Paul depot. The roller arrived last week and the two machines will soon be taken to the town of Rudolph where they will be put to work just as soon as possible. The roller is operated by gasoline and looks to be heavy enough to smooth down almost anything.

—FOR SALE—New six room house, barn and two acres of land, all cleared on Washington Avenue, just outside city limits. Inquire at this office.—44 p.

Stevens Point Journal.—Local scout masters of the Boy Scouts of America are planning on a big round up and rally to be held in this city June 18, 19 and 20. It is the idea to have delegations from Appleton, Neoclad, Waupun, Grand Rapids, Marshfield, Waunakee and Merrill here. The boys will go into camp at the fair grounds and most live up to military rules and enlist upon army ration. It is the plan to have contests of various nature and give prizes amounting to \$100 to the winners. The features of the program will be the Wausau Boy Scout band of thirty pieces, base ball game, drills, first aid to the injured, and signal work.

Pittsville Record.—A flat car containing machinery for the sorting of pickles arrived in the city for the Heinz people this week. There is on the car this sorting machine, making two grades at one sorting, the necessary elevators for carrying to the cars, a six horse gasoline engine and a lot of other machinery that goes with the sorting business.

Heretofore the pickles have been shipped to other points where the sorting has been done. Nearly all of the pickles in vats have been left here, although the dills went out long ago. Two Heinz pickle cars wait filling and it is expected the entire output of the plant here will be shipped now that the machinery for sorting and delivery to cars on track has arrived. This machinery takes up the greater part of one flat car.

BE IT RESOLVED, That from and after the date that the accounts of the City Government be kept separate and distinct from the accounts of the other branches of the city Government, both receipts and disbursements, and that any surplus or deficit in the City Water Works Department be adjusted by the City Council, on the first Council meeting in January of each year, or as soon thereafter as practicable, and that the City Treasurer be authorized and instructed to purchase a set of books suitable for the purpose herein outlined.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED That Resolution that no bills be paid, by the City Water Works Department, until such bills or purchases be first approved by Sup't. of Water Works, Fred Pfeiffer and O. K. G. by the Finance Committee.

F. DAMON. The following resolution was presented and on motion carried.

WHEREAS, The Mayor of the City of Grand Rapids did, on April 16th, 1912, recommend to the Council that the City Civil Engineer make out paths in the library park for walks, on the east side, and that Council purchase books for said library Park, now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Mayor be instructed to appoint a committee of three members of the Council to advise with the City Civil Engineer with reference to such walks and benches and with authority to act in the premises as they in their judgment shall deem for the best interests of the public.

Titanic Views. —The manager of the Bijou Theatre has made arrangements to have views of the ill fated Titanic ship on Thursday and Friday evenings. Mr. Eweins has gone to considerable extra expense to secure these views and promises a big event entertainment. Don't fail to see them.

RUDOLPH. Miss McFall of Park Falls has been a guest at the Camiel Marcean home. John Brinkman of Brillion arrived Tuesday for a short visit here and attend the funeral of Frank Albert.

Dr. J. A. Jackson and wife are in Waupun today to attend a big meeting of medical men of the state.

Mrs. Frank Whitman and daughter, Mrs. Glen Foss, expect to leave in a few days for a visit in the west.

Market Report.

Patent Flour.....\$2.25
Rye Flour.....\$2.40
Wheat Flour.....\$2.25
Barley.....\$1.75
Oats.....\$1.25
Corn.....\$1.10
Soy Beans.....\$1.50
Clover.....\$1.25
Hay.....\$1.25
Timothy.....\$1.25
Clover.....\$1.25
Hay.....\$1.25
Timothy.....\$1.25

Elks Go to Stevens Point.

A large number of local Elks will go to Stevens Point on Monday evening to attend the annual fish bake of the Stevens Point lodge. The boys up river promise a big time and it is expected at least twenty-five will make the trip by auto.

Three Days More

Saturday, May 25, the last day of sale on Men's and Ladies' Rain-coats at Half Price,

\$2.98 and up.

REMEMBER---three days more---the price---and the place.

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Grand Rapids, Wis.
Capital and Surplus \$200,000.00
Reserves \$1,400,000.00

NEWS FROM NEARBY PLACES.

Marshfield Herald:—Albert Reault, a well to do farmer residing near Greenwood, was brought to the hospital in this city Saturday, blind in one eye and four fingers gone, the result of a dynamite explosion. Mr. Reault was in the act of blowing out stumps with dynamite. For some reason the fuse did not work as soon as he thought it should and he went to the place to ascertain the cause. When within a few feet of the stump a terrible explosion took place. Mr. Reault, from the force of the explosion was thrown some distance and on being picked up it was found the sight of one eye had been destroyed by a piece of brass from the cap entering it and three fingers on the left and one on the right blown off. He will recover from the experience but it came near being his last on earth. He is district school clerk of his town and a man much thought of in the community where he resides.

A few days ago the endless chain idea in the form of a prayer on postal cards blew into Lodi. More than 200 cards came to the office and the postmaster stopped the whole procession, for it is unlawful to use the mails for such schemes. On each card was written a prayer in which some calamity was mentioned and the recipient was asked to send postals to their friends, thus keeping the chain going.

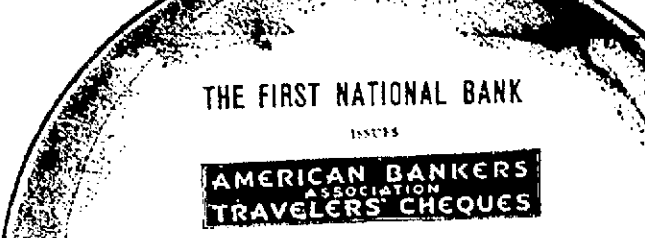
BIRTHS

A son to Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Thompson, May 17th.
A son to Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Witto, May 18th.
To Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Evanson on Sunday, May 19, a boy.
To Mr. and Mrs. John Kubli on Saturday, May 18, a boy.
To Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pribbanow of the east side, on Monday, May 20, a boy.
To Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fahrner, on Tuesday, May 21, a boy.

Boy's Body Found. The body of Vincent Yarnutsky, the five year old boy who was drowned at Neoclad on April 27, was found floating in the Wisconsin river on Tuesday near Barnum, about thirteen miles below where the accident occurred.

The remains were brought to Neoclad and funeral services were held today.

Mrs. George Liverdash of Neoclad was in the city on Tuesday visiting with relatives and friends.

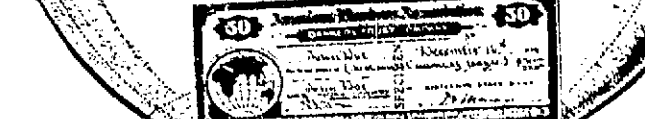


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